

## ENTERTAINMENT BY AMERICAN LEGION WAS BIG SUCCESS

FLORENCE, Feb. 10.—The McClellan-Parsons post of the American Legion put one of the best dance entertainments that this city has seen in the past few years. The feature of the dance was a reproduction of the old days of 49 or so, when the country was wide open. One hundred thousand dollars in stage money was procured from the high school, which was loaned for the occasion. Chuck-a-luck, faro, roulette and a crap table were among the games used. The old army game of blackjack was very much in evidence. The Isis theater was used, the floor for dancing and the stage for the games. Every table on the stage was busy from the time that the games were started until the very last note of "Home, Sweet Home," was played by the orchestra.

The old Keating bar was used, and it had a real football, too. The net proceeds of the entertainment amounted to \$150, which will be used by the post to defray expenses and for the purposes of future entertainments. That everyone had a good time goes without saying, and the local people are looking forward to the next Legion entertainment that will be held on the 20th of this month, which will be a dance at the high school.

G. G. Axline of Phoenix was a Florence visitor over Sunday. He was accompanied by his wife.

Max Viault, president of the Mesa Milling company, was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cannon.

A great many Florence people attended the Masonic doings at Phoenix this week.

Ralph Lane visited Phoenix during the fore part of this week.

Many Casa Grande people attended the dance given by the American Legion last Friday night.

F. M. Ford of Winkelman was a Florence visitor last Friday.

O. R. Hansen of the Hansen Construction company has been in Florence on business this week.

The San Carlos comes here recently received a mighty fine set of pamphlets that show many reasons why the San Carlos dam should be completed. This is an illustrated 16-page booklet on two colors and one of the best ever printed. A copy of this booklet may be had upon application.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and the secretary of the San Carlos committee. Every chamber of commerce in the state will receive a number of these pamphlets.

The San Carlos pictures are still on the circuit and are always viewed with interest wherever shown.

Prospective members of the Florence volunteer fire department had a chance to try this Friday, when many of them answered the call to the Carmichael home. By the time that the chemical arrived on the scene the fire, which was just a small blaze, had been extinguished and there was no need for their services.

One and two-tenths inches of rain fell in Florence Saturday night and Sunday.

The farmers in this section will all have bumper crops this year. A turn for the worse comes. This, however, is not in the least expected and all are jubilant over their prospects. There are plenty of rain and plenty of water in the river for the next year.

The Woman's club of Florence is planning an entertainment for the last of this month.

Florence's building boom is still on and a great many buildings are rapidly nearing completion. In Douglas under construction. The Florence hotel has been renovated and a great deal of new work done. The Brannaman building is at present held up on account of the shortage of materials. The front on the Michea-Arbalbon Mercantile company's store will be finished as rapidly as possible. The Florence Commercial company is making extensive improvements and so it goes. All carpenters and painters in town are as busy as can be. The Surety Abstract and Realty company is renovating their offices and will, when completed, have an up-to-date office next door to the Pinal Bank and Trust company.

It has been reported, with authority, that the actual construction on the diversion dam above Florence will be started very soon after the first of July. This is indeed good news to the people of this valley, who are all anxious to see the work start.

The copy for the annual report of the board of supervisors is now in the hands of the printers. This report will be completed soon.

J. S. Hopewell of Tucson has been appointed secretary of the board of pardons and paroles. Mr. Hopewell arrived last week.

The board of supervisors met last week at their offices at the court house and transacted their monthly business. The school land above Oracle has been

## Giant Flying Reptile Lived Millions of Years Ago

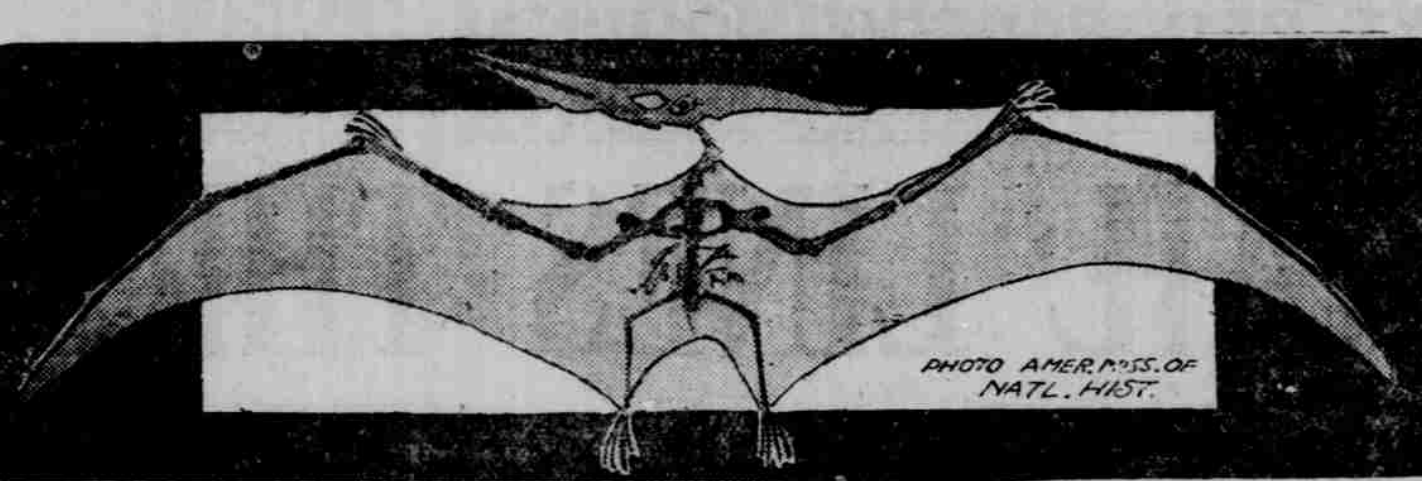


PHOTO AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATL. HIST.

The skeleton of the largest flying creature that ever lived has been found and placed on exhibit by the American Museum of Natural History, New York.

It lived several million years ago. It is called by the scientists Pteranodon. It was a great toothless flying reptile. The skeleton is incomplete, but the missing parts, with which science is familiar through other fragments discovered, have been painted in realistic colors on the background.

subdivided into lots for summer homes and will be placed on sale at 11 o'clock a. m. March 22. These lots will be auctioned off to the highest bidder. This sale will be held at the county court house.

## METHODIST PASTOR ASSAILS LABOR FOR POLITICAL ADVANCES

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 10.—"The very existence of our republican form of government in this country is seriously threatened because of the attempt of organized labor to dominate the halls of congress," declared Bishop William A. Quayle, of the Methodist Episcopal church, in an address at Mount Vernon Place church tonight.

"Labor's threat is a challenge against all we have and are in government," he maintained, "and as such it is our duty as American citizens to accept the challenge and in our strength rise up and crush the foe to our most cherished ideals. Our government is for all the people, not for any one class or faction."

Pilots Dashed to Death When Planes Collide in Clouds

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 10.—Lieutenant Harry D. Smith of San Francisco and Lieutenant Harry W. Brokaw of Barbours, Ohio, were instantly killed today when their planes collided at an altitude of 1500 feet during combat practice and fell to the earth.

Lieutenant Smith had a long overseas record and was regarded as one of the best flyers in the service, having been regularly used in test work both here and overseas. He was a member of the Twenty-seventh aero squadron.

Lieutenant Brokaw was a member of the Ninety-fourth aero squadron.

EX-SOLDIER CHARGED WITH GIRL'S MURDER

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Feb. 10.—Frank W. Whited, 28 years old, a former soldier, was today charged with the murder of a girl, charged with the shooting of a Philadelphia chorus girl. Whited was a roomer at the house in the rear of which the woman's body was found February 1. Police say their evidence shows that the girl was lured to the house by Whited, attacked and then thrown into the snow.

GARCIA STILL AT LARGE

NOGALES, Feb. 10.—Despite diligent efforts of the sheriff's department, no trace has been found of Alessandro Garcia, charged with the shooting of A. Solomon, a pool hall proprietor. The shooting occurred Saturday night. Today Solomon underwent a serious operation at the military hospital and surgeons say he has an excellent chance to recover, notwithstanding his intestines were pierced 15 times by the bullet.

PROFITEERING IN WHISKY

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Retail druggists are taking advantage of the influenza epidemic to charge exorbitant prices for whisky, prescribed by physicians, selling it from \$25 to \$30 a gallon, according to reports which attributed to physician collector of internal revenue said today reached him. He said he saw no way to "stop this kind of profiteering."

ABOLISH ALL SUB-TREASURIES

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Abolition of all sub-treasuries was urged today by Assistant Secretary Lexington Bell, before the house banking committee. Fifty million dollars in the sub-treasuries would be released, Mr. Bell said, adding that a saving on the expense of the sub-treasuries would be \$50,000 annually.

RELIEVE CUSTOMS GUARDS

NOGALES, Ariz., Feb. 10.—All military guards, supplementing the customs service on the international line here, were relieved from such duty today by order of Colonel E. C. Carnahan, in command of the United States troops here.

TESTIMONY MERELY ROUTINE

MONTESANO, Wash., Feb. 10.—Testimony offered today at the trial of 11 alleged members of the I. W. W., accused of the murder of Warren O. Grinnam, was largely a routine affair. Nine witnesses were examined, mainly as to the nature of wounds suffered by American legion members fired on at Centralia in the clash last Armistice day between a parade of American legion members and alleged industrial workers.

DENIES REPORTED INTERVIEW

TRIESTE, Monday, Feb. 9.—Gabriele d'Annunzio today officially denied having said in a recent interview with a German journalist that he had been quoted, that there was "no difference between President Wilson and the Kaiser."

TO TRY FRIEDRICH FOR MURDER

VIENNA, Sunday, Feb. 8.—Budapest dispatches say that cabinet council decided today to permit the military trial of Stephen Friedrich, the war minister, on charges of planning the murder of Count Stephen Tisza, who was shot and killed in November, 1918, in the presence of his wife. The court will be composed of five superior officers.

HERMAN SHADES HOLBERG

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—Pete Herman, bantamweight champion, won the newspaper decision over Johnny Holberg of Brooklyn in an eight-round bout here tonight. Herman had the advantage in six of the eight rounds.

MODIFY TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—War time restrictions as to the issuing of passports have been so modified that tourist travel to Great Britain now is permitted. It was announced here today that Captain M. Jeffries, passport control officer of the British consulate.

against which the skeleton is mounted. The remains of this curious creature were found in Kansas by Handel T. Martin, curator of the Geological Museum of Kansas University. It is the only mounted specimen of a Pteranodon in any museum in America, though the British Museum has one.

This skeleton measures 16 feet from wing tip to wing tip, and would have a stretch of nearly 21 feet if the wings were pulled out straight. It was eggs.

## HALF OF TROOPS TO BE WITHDRAWN FROM LEXINGTON

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 10.—No lessening of military precautions to prevent a recurrence of mob violence in Lexington was apparent today. Federal soldiers continued to surround the Fayette courthouse where Will Lockout, negro, slayer of 10-year-old Geneva Hardman and center of the disturbance Monday, in which five persons lost their lives, was confined. Patrols guarded every avenue to the city.

Brigadier General F. C. Marshall characterized these measures merely as precautionary and said he was satisfied with the situation and that approximately one-half of the troops here would be withdrawn for Louisville probably tonight.

General Marshall paid a tribute to the people of Lexington and Fayette county for their ready submission to martial law and characterized it as the first evidence of a big reaction in the whole country, which is beginning to switch back from bolshevism to law and order.

EX-GOVERNOR IS WITNESS AGAINST NEWBERRY ET AL

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., Feb. 10.—Chase S. Osborn testified in the Newberry election conspiracy trial in federal court here today. He told the jury that he had once "tried to be governor of Michigan," and "thought" he was a candidate for the United States senate in 1918 when the principal defendant, Senator Truman H. Newberry, defeated him and Henry Ford in the primary.

Although Mr. Osborn's appearance as a witness had been heralded and the defense had announced it was "ready for him," his cross examination was deferred.

Mr. Osborn said C. A. Daniels, a Grand Rapids politician, told him that Mark T. McKee, law partner of Paul King, manager of the Newberry campaign, had "possibilities of an organization which could deliver the senate" for \$150,000. McKee is reported to have been killed on an attack of pneumonia.

The former governor told of a conversation with Milton Oakman, a Detroit political leader. He said he told Oakman that he cost them what you are worth."

CZECH TROOPS REBEL

VIENNA, Saturday, Feb. 7.—A dispatch from Prague, Moravia, today reports that a party of Czech troops being conveyed by train, refused to proceed when they learned that they were being taken to a new garrison in Moravia, but were being sent to Slovakia. The men disarmed and beat their officers and forced the railroad officials to take them back to Prague.

FEDERAL PROBE OF POISONINGS TO BE STARTED

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 10.—Federal investigation of the deaths here within the past few days of seven persons, attributed by physicians to poisoning due to the eating of ripe olives, was begun today with the arrival of an inspector for the United States department of agriculture.

The inspector and a representative of the United States district attorney conferred during the day with city officials of the health department and packing concern who arrive in Memphis this morning. All of those who have died were guests at a luncheon here last Thursday at which ripe olives were served.

RECOVER PART OF LOOT

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 10.—Within three hours after four young masked bandits had held up officers and customers of a branch of the Home Savings bank here late today the police seized Charles Scott and recovered more than \$1,000 of the \$11,000 taken.

GOOD ROADS WORKERS MEET

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 10.—Delegates representing practically every state in the union and a few from Canada attended the opening business session of the national annual convention of the American Good Roads congress today. A program of extensive highway improvements expected to be mapped out.

By Nikkah

Charles Pergler was a lawyer in the state of Iowa. Almost nobody harked back to the fact that Pergler was an immigrant boy that he had been born elsewhere than among these same corn fields. In appearance he was no different from the other men of Iowa, his long hair was as pure, his name as commonplace.

Then came the great war and new nations emerged from the chaos of Europe. Professor Masarac, with whom America was well acquainted, became the president of a new nation in the heart of Europe known as Czechoslovakia. That nation had no need of immigrants, needed good men to direct its destinies.

President Masarac reached out to America for Charles Pergler. Then it was recalled that he was the son of a Bohemian farmer, that when young man he had studied three years in Prague. He was full of the spirit of America, and he knew the problems of Czechoslovakia. He could be useful in creating a new nation under the sun.

So Charles Pergler became a commissioner to the United States from the land of his birth. He spent much time in Europe getting the new spirit of state on an even keel. The other day he came through Washington, bound for Japan, where he would be minister and chief reliance of this new state in the Far East.

It is such as Pergler that are gold from the melting pot.

An Englishman has invented a pen wiper consisting of a glass cap filled with a sponge saturated with glycerine, in which has a preservative effect on pens.

A Swedish railroad has built a reinforced concrete bridge with an arched span nearly 300 feet long, designed to carry trains at a speed of 60 miles an hour.

During November, 1919, 463 vessels, of which 16 were American, having a total tonnage of 563,492 entered the port of Antwerp.

An inventor has mounted a wheel on the end of a cane intended to be used by blind persons to guide themselves about streets without tapping on pavements.

Last year Canada bought \$150 worth of goods for every dollar's worth bought by the United States from Canada.

## About the State

### Predicts Oil at Yuma

YUMA—It may be interesting to many of the believers and doubting Thomases to know that Charley Myton, an oldtimer of our metropolis who just returned, has to say about this prospect of finding oil around Yuma. Mr. Myton has seen the oil fields of every state in the union, Pennsylvania, Texas, Oklahoma, California, etc., and is absolutely convinced that our country around here has all the earmarks of being an oil field.

Mr. Starter expressed his opinion in the following way: "The only thing that will keep Yuma poor, from finding oil is not to drill for it."—Sun

### "Flu" Quitting Miami

MIAMI—Dr. Brayton, town health officer, reported at last night's meeting of the town council that there are now only six cases of "flu" within the town limits, and that no new cases have been reported within the past two days.

He also reported that the epidemic of whooping cough among children is abating, and that health conditions in the district were steadily improving.—Silver Belt

### Snow Halts Officer and Man

MIAMI—Edwin Gatewood, an Apache Indian, was brought to Globe last night by Inspector Chas. L. Davis of the Fort Apache Indian reservation for the killing of Norman Thompson, another Apache, near Oak Creek on the Fort Apache reservation in Navajo country. The killing took place on January 22, but the officer had been unable to deliver his man to the local jail on account of the deep snow prevailing in that region, which have kept the party snowbound until this time. The killing was the result of a tulapai party, and Gatewood is alleged to have shot Thompson in the back with a rifle, killing him instantly.—Silver Belt

### Big Registration at U. of A.

TUCSON—Registration at the University of Arizona for the school year 1919-20 has broken all records and should close of the year may double the number of students enrolled in any previous year. So far this year, there have been 1050 regularly enrolled students attending classes on the campus, as compared with 605 for last year.

A summary of the cities, states, and countries represented by the students this year shows the student body to be a cosmopolitan one. Every section of the United States and several foreign countries are represented. There are people from 38 states in the union and from Canada, Mexico, England, India, China, Spain and Ireland.

California leads in the roll of outside states with representatives of 35; Texas is second with about 29; Illinois and Ohio stand even for third position, with about 15 each. Missouri and Indiana have a dozen representatives apiece. Students from 60 different towns in this state are attending the college. Tucson's enrollment of a few years back, Phoenix follows Tucson with about 80 to her credit, and others which have strong delegations are: Bisbee, 21; Yuma, 20; Douglas, 17; Prescott, 16; Tempe, 16, and Globe 14.—Citizen

Southwest Cotton Company at Yuma

YUMA.—The announcement recently made that the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company through its subsidiary, the Southwest Cotton company, will operate in the Yuma valley this coming season has created a lively interest among valley farmers.

The long and successful experience of the company in Arizona, plus its willingness to make a capital investment here, and guarantee a minimum price and a market at all times at the then prevailing market price, has inspired growers with confidence in the future of long staple cotton. O. P. Johnson representing the Goodyear interests said here today: "Plans are well under way for the erection of a long staple gin in Yuma."

The first car of planting seed has already been shipped from Phoenix and should be ready for distribution to the growers by the end of this week. We are not only guaranteeing a minimum price of 60 cents per pound, basis extra, but we are going to go a step further to guarantee to pay the same identical prices here that we will pay in the Salt River valley.—Sun

### Girls Ride "Blind" Baggage

YUMA.—Two young girls each about 20 years of age, arrived in Yuma this morning via the "blind baggage." They were dressed in male attire and carried bundles of clothing over their shoulders. An officer took them to a restaurant where they were given the first meal they had since leaving San Francisco. The girls appeared respectable, but being afflicted with wanderlust they decided to seek their fortunes in Arizona. The officer after they had partaken of early breakfast found them lodgings at a hotel and jobs have been promised the youthful wanderers today.—Sun

### Chinese in Tucson

TUCSON—Between 350 and 400 Chinese, who call Tucson their home, are engaged in approximately five general lines of business and operate 105 places of business. As a result the Chinese in Tucson constitute a considerable factor in the business and economic relations of the city, especially among the moderate and poorer classes.

A census of the Chinese in Tucson taken by the United States immigration authorities last November shows that approximately 350 or 400 are residents of this city. The records of the city's license department show that these Chinese are engaged principally in five lines of industry, namely, merchants, butchers, laundry work, restaurants and hucksters or peddlers.

The majority of Chinese in Tucson are merchants, which includes dry goods and grocery distribution. Here is how the originals in Tucson make their living as shown by the records of the license department: Merchants, 67; hucksters or peddlers, 18; butchers, 11; restaurants, 7, and laundries, 3.—Citizen

### Echo of Old Days

MIAMI—A bar check, good for one drink at the Airdome bar, Miami, Ariz., was found on the streets of Miami today and turned into the Silver Belt office, where the owner may claim same. It is realized that the check has no redemption value, but that the loser of it is as an interesting relic of other days.—Silver Belt

### A Great Work is Started

YUMA.—The work commenced by the government, which will ultimately lead to the reclamation and cultivation of the vast tract of land embraced in the Colorado River Indian reservation, consisting of about 150,000 acres, is progressing rapidly with every assurance that this fertile tract, now the abode of the coyote and jackrabbit, will ere long be the scene of great agricultural activity.

The site for the proposed division dam is at Headgate Rock, about a mile north of Parker. This is the point which was selected for the intake to the canal constructed by the government around here in 1876.

The last of the 6,000 acres of land recently released to white settlers was signed up for last week, the entire acreage being leased in tracts varying in size from 40 to 640 acres. This, added to the 4,000 acres already under cultivation by the U. S. Indians, will make 10,000 acres that will be under intensive cultivation before the first six months of this year will have passed. This, however, will be only a marker as compared with what will be doing



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when the government plans are fully consummated.—Sun

GLOBE—Federal warrants were issued yesterday for the arrest of James B. Blue, a druggist employed at the Ryan Drug Store, and F. W. Wightman, proprietor of the United Drug Store, lower Broad street. Blue and Wightman are charged with a violation of the 18th amendment, which prohibits the sale of beverages containing one-half of one per cent alcohol.

Blue is charged with selling Beef, Wine and Iron and Wightman is charged with selling bay rum.

The rear room of one store showed close to 1,000 empty Beef, Wine and Iron bottles. The examination of another druggist's books showed practically every entry marked "B. I. W. \$1.25." In one shipment received by express some time ago a druggist received 46 dozen bottles of Beef, Wine and Iron, which the department of justice alleges is sufficient to supply the medicinal wants of the city of New York for some time.—Record

Prominent Engineer Dies

MIAMI—John Langston, a prominent consulting electrical engineer, inspiration and affiliated copper companies, died at 3 p. m. yesterday at Inspiration camp of pneumonia. Mr. Langston, whose headquarters were in New York, arrived in Miami about a week ago on a tour of inspection and consultation with the officials of the Inspiration, Ajo and other mines.—Silver Belt

After World's Record

MIAMI—The Van Dyke Copper company has a substantial lead on the world's record in shaft sinking, the crew on the hill above town being seven feet ahead of the record made at the Crown mines, South Africa.

This is the sixth day since the official measurements for the start were made. Since that time Shaft No. 1 of the Van Dyke Copper company has been driven down 61 feet, making the shaft 316 feet deep this afternoon.

Everything is running smoothly and according to schedule and this month should see the world's record transferred from the gold mines of the Rand to the disseminated copper mines of the southwestern United States.—Silver Belt

STATE RESTS IN TRIAL OF FIVE N. Y. SOCIALISTS

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 10.—Counsel for the assembly judiciary committee late today completed presentation of evidence against the five suspended socialist assemblymen, being tried by the committee on charges of disloyalty.

Seymour Stedman, however, claimed that technically the prosecution could not "rest" until his side had read into the record additional excerpts from documents introduced by committee counsel. This reading, which has been begun, was not completed when adjournment was taken.

In closing its case, the prosecution, which had charged the socialist party with conspiring to bring about a revolution in this country, drew from opposing forces an acknowledgment that by a referendum just completed, the party membership had ratified a minority report submitted at the Chicago convention last year pledging support to the third (Moscow) Internationale.

G. O. P. Leaders Meet To Plan Convention

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—A. T. Hert, chairman of the committee on arrangements for the republican national convention, arrived in Chicago today to prepare for the gathering June 8. He will be joined tomorrow by Will H. Hays, national chairman. The two party leaders plan a conference with Fred U. Upham, formerly national treasurer.

Mr. Hays will be a speaker tomorrow at the national convention of the Lincoln league, an organization of negro republicans.

STREET SWEEPER NAMED MURDERER OF LABOR LEADER

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Vincenzo Cosmano, alias Jim Luscius, a street sweeper foreman, was named tonight by State's Attorney Hoyne as the man who fired the shot that killed Maurice "Boss" Enright, labor leader and gunman, a week ago. Cosmano is under arrest and will be formally charged with the crime tomorrow. It was announced.

"Big Tim" Murphy, formerly a member of the state legislature and business agent for the Street Sweepers' union, was booked tonight on a charge of murder. Earlier, a similar charge had been made against Michael Carrozo, president of the union. Both also were charged with conspiracy to murder.

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## About Coffee

In 1554, coffee houses were opened in Constantinople. Coffee was introduced to France in 1644. The first coffee house in London was opened in 1652. The Dutch began drinking coffee in 1690, and have continued the habit ever since. The Roosevelt family have recently started a chain of coffee houses in New York. It is not definitely known when coffee was introduced into Germany, Denmark, Sweden or Norway.

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